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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: |) |
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| JEFFS. EDER |) Examiner: Jagdish Patel |
| Serial No. 09/761,670 |) Art Unit: 3624 |
| Filed: January 18, 2001 |)) |
| For: A METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR EVALUATING CASH FLOW ELEMENTS OF A BUSINESS ENTERPRISE |)))) |

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, the Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments.

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